

Approved as to Form and Legality

Date

March 24, 2011


 County Counsel

COUNTY EXECUTIVE AND CLERK TO THE BOARD AUTHORIZED TO "EXERCISE THE OPTION TO EXTEND" A COMPETITIVE CONTRACT WITH DIAMOND PHARMACY SERVICES FOR PHARMACY SERVICES FOR THE MERCER COUNTY CORRECTION CENTER AND THE MERCER COUNTY YOUTH DETENTION CENTER AT ACTUAL ACQUISITION COST PLUS \$3.70 PER PRESCRIPTION. AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED: \$500,000.00. EXTEND CONTRACT FROM MARCH 1, 2011 TO FEBRUARY 28, 2012 (CC2008-06)

WHEREAS, pursuant to the provision of N.J.S.A.:11-15, the governing body may include provisions for a contract extension upon finding by the governing body that the services are being performed in an effective and efficient manner; and,

WHEREAS, the County of Mercer entered into a Competitive Contract with Diamond Pharmacy Services, 645 Kolter Drive, Indiana, PA 15701, for the provision of pharmacy services, for the period of March 1, 2009 to February 28, 2011 with the option to extend for one (1) year, at actual acquisition cost plus \$3.70 per prescription, with a total amount not to exceed \$500,000.00, as per Resolution No. 2009-149, adopted March 26, 2009; and,

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 Clerk to the Board

RECORD OF VOTE

FREEHOLDER	Aye	Nay	N.V.	Abs	Res	Sec.	FREEHOLDER	Aye	Nay	N.V.	Abs	Res	Sec.
Cannon	X						Koontz	X				✓	
Carabelli	X					✓	Walter	X					
Cimino	X						Colavita	X					
Frisby	X												

X—Indicates Vote Abs.—Absent N.V.—Not Voting
 Res.—Resolution Moved Sec.—Resolution Seconded

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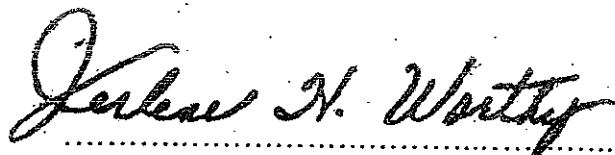
WHEREAS, the County of Mercer is desirous of exercising the option to extend the Competitive Contract with Diamond Pharmacy Services for pharmacy services for the Mercer County Correction Center and the Youth Detention Center at actual acquisition cost plus \$3.70 per prescription; extend contract for one (1) year through February 28, 2012, in the amount not to exceed \$500,000.00, as required; and,

WHEREAS, the contract contains a thirty (30) day termination provision which will permit the termination of the portion of the contract relating to the Youth Detention Center when that transition is made to Middlesex County; and,

WHEREAS, funds for the 2011 and 2012 portion of this contract are contingent upon inclusion in and adoption of the 2011 and 2012 Mercer County Budgets; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, that the County Executive and Clerk to the Board be and are hereby authorized to execute the option to extend the Competitive Contract to Diamond Pharmacy Services for the provision of pharmacy Services for the period of March 1, 2011 to February 28, 2012, at actual acquisition cost plus \$3.70 per prescription and total amount not to exceed \$500,000.00, on behalf of the County of Mercer, when presented in a form approved by County Counsel; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the Clerk to the Board shall forward a copy of this Resolution, along with an executed copy of the Contract, to Diamond Pharmacy Services, the Warden, Mercer County Correction Center, the Warden, Youth Detention Center, and the Purchasing Agent.



Clerk to the Board

CC2008-06

**EXERCISE OPTION TO EXTEND CONTRACT WITH
DIAMOND PHARMACY SERVICES**

WHEREAS, the County of Mercer entered into a Contract with Diamond Pharmacy Services, 645 Kolter Drive, Indiana, PA 15701 for Pharmacy Services for the Mercer County Office of Health, Mercer County Correction Facility, and the Mercer County Youth Detention Center for a period of two (2) years with option to extend one (1) year as per Resolution No. 2009-149 dated March 26, 2009; with the option to terminate upon thirty (30) days notice, and, the vendor acknowledges that the Youth Detention Center will close over the next six months; and,

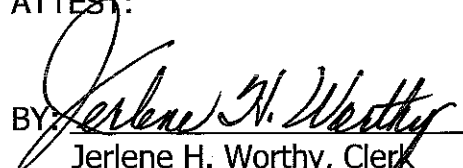
WHEREAS, an AMENDMENT is required to the original CONTRACT to extend the contract period through February 28, 2012; and,

1. It is the intention of the County to exercise the option to extend one (1) year for Pharmacy Services for the Mercer County Correction Facility and the Mercer County Youth Detention Center through February 28, 2012 in the amount not to exceed \$500,000.00 with the county maintaining the option to terminate upon 30 days notice:

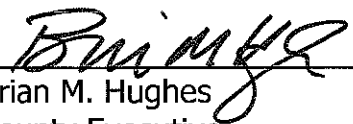
NOW, THEREFORE, all other terms and conditions in the original Contract dated March 26, 2009, will remain the same.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, the County and the Contractor have executed this AMENDMENT to the CONTRACT to be extended through February 28, 2012.

ATTEST:

BY: 
Jerlene H. Worthy, Clerk
Board of Chosen Freeholders

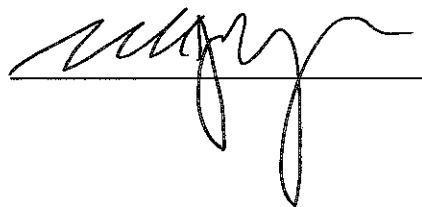
COUNTY OF MERCER

BY: 
Brian M. Hughes
County Executive

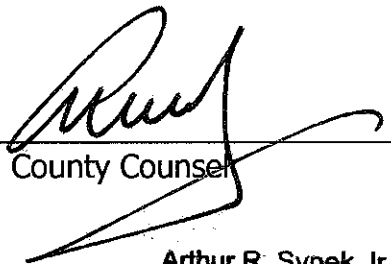
WITNESS:

BY: 

DIAMOND PHARMACY SERVICES

BY: 

Approved as to form and execution

By: 
County Counsel
Arthur R. Sypek Jr.
Mercer County Counsel